FISCAL NOTE

HJR 227

May 21, 1999

SUMMARY OF BILL: Encourages the administration to make advance payments directly to TennCare providers in the event that MCOs and BHOs experience claims handling problems because of Y2K computer problems.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

MINIMAL

Since the resolution urges, but does not mandate, the fiscal impact is minimal. However, implementing the provisions of the resolution will increase state expenditures \$61,075 (one-time) and increase Federal expenditures \$101,550 (one-time) for computer programming costs and additional clerical staff in the Department of Health.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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